



COAST GUARD CUTTERS MAKE RESCUES AT SEA

Men Aboard Distressed Vessels Conveyed to Places of Safety.
General Notes.

Though the old Dominion liner Madison, for several hours stood by the sinking barge Somerset of Baltimore, waiting an opportunity to take off the men aboard her, the rescue was finally effected by the coast guard cutter Mohawk, the Madison resuming her voyage when the cutter arrived. According to report made by Lt. H. H. Tidwell, commanding the Mohawk, the cutter picked up the barge in a howling northeast gale off Sandy Hook. Several efforts were made to send a boat to the vessel, which was finally effected and the men aboard were brought to safety. The barge was then towed to Sandy Hook and anchored in a sheltered position.

When picked up the Somerset had seven feet of water in her hold, and in spite of the efforts of her crew the water gained four inches an hour. When struck by the gale the Somerset was on her way from Norfolk to Fall River with coal.

Abandoned Schooner Picked Up.
Several days ago the three-masted schooner, Charles A. Campbell, was abandoned off the North Carolina coast, her crew being taken off by a passing steamer. The cutter Onondaga, from the Norfolk station, was sent to find the vessel and to tow into port if possible. After a hunt of many hours the vessel was sighted. The report of the commanding officer of the cutter states that the vessel presented a most forlorn appearance. The deck had been washed away, rigging was hanging loose and staves looked as if ready to fall at any minute and in addition to this she was full of water and her decks were nearly awash. Several efforts were required to get a line aboard her, but this was accomplished and the Campbell was towed into Hampton roads, to be taken over by her managing owner, Lewis A. Pierce of Port Amboy, N. J.

Eleven Lives Saved.
To the crew of the Rockaway, L. I. coast guard station belongs the credit of having recently saved the lives of eleven persons, who were aboard the small schooner Fry when she struck on the beach. The vessel was bound from New York to Rockaway, and by some misadventure of her pilot, she went on the beach in bad weather. The crew of the station responded promptly, but when they reached the schooner she was full of water. Five passengers and the crew of six were taken off and made comfortable at the coast guard station. It is stated to be probable that the vessel can be saved.

Cutter Itasca Due at Arundel Cove.
To be made ready to take the captives from the Coast Guard Academy at New London on their annual training cruise, the cutter Itasca is due at the Arundel Cove depot, South Baltimore, tomorrow. The Itasca has been on duty at San Juan, Porto Rico, and was recently relieved by the U. S. S. Jervis, which has taken up her duty. The cutter is due at New London May 20, and about June 5 will sail on the cruise, the itinerary for which is yet to be arranged. Cornelius Barry of this city, a member of the second class, the only Washington boy in the school, will make the cruise on the Itasca.

Food Increases Brought On by War
England Claims to Have Suffered Less Than the Other Belligerent Nations.

Correspondence of the Associated Press.
LONDON, March 30.—The people of England claim to have suffered less from the increased cost of living brought on by the war than have the people of any of the enemy countries, although admitting that prices of food-stuffs are higher now than they have been in the memory of the present generation.

The retail rise for January was 11.6 per cent, according to the Board of Trade Labor Gazette, which points out that the upward trend has been in flour and bread—4 per cent, and in fish and salted meats—3 per cent.

Bread has reached 2½ pence, or about 10 cents, on the American loaf (four pounds), higher than it ever has been in modern times.

Comparison of Prices.
The increase in the cost of food, comparing February 7 last with a year ago, has been:

United Kingdom 47
Belgium 112.9
France 112.9
Austria 112.9
Italy 112.9
Japan 112.9
United States 112.9

Attention is called to the fact that Germany allows only a limited sale at a legal maximum price of what are ordinary, every-day articles of diet. This the Gazette points out, applies to bread, butter, flour, pork and milk. It says that in Vienna the end of the year brought an easing of some of the advances, partly explained by the fact that in December maximum price charges came into operation for the first time in respect to bacon and hog's fat.

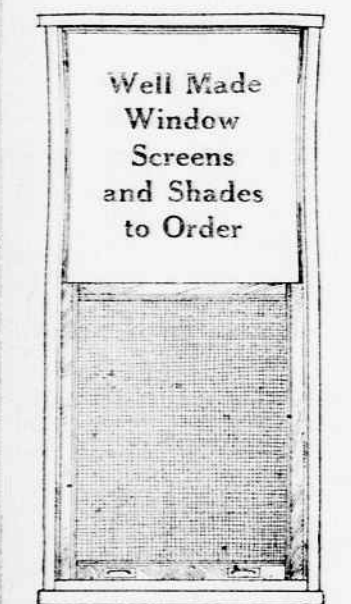
Increased Percentages.
Here are some comparative returns of increased percentages since July, 1914:

United Kingdom, Berlin, Vienna, 1914:

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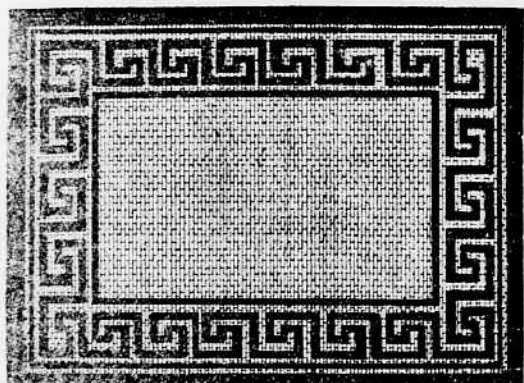
We wish to invite all the young people who are about to furnish a home to come into our store and examine the delightful examples of period furniture that now form an important part of our stock.

These dainty, graceful patterns make the pieces exceedingly attractive, yet they are serviceable and economical because our prices are very moderate.

Nice furniture is a delight—it becomes a part of your home life and you love it. We make it possible for you to afford such nice things by arranging small weekly or monthly payments, and it has always been our policy to grant exceptionally easy terms to young married couples.

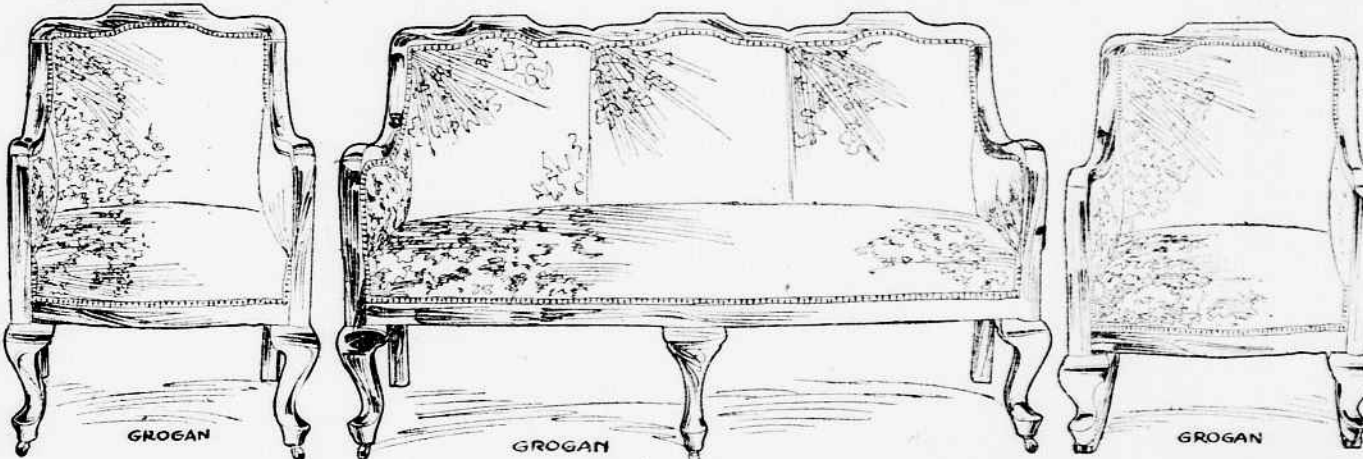
Specially Priced Parlor Suites

3 pieces, mahogany finish, green velvet... \$17.50
3 pieces, mahogany finish, green velvet... \$22.50
3 pieces mah. finish, imitation leather... \$27.50
3 pieces mah. finish, imitation leather... \$32.50



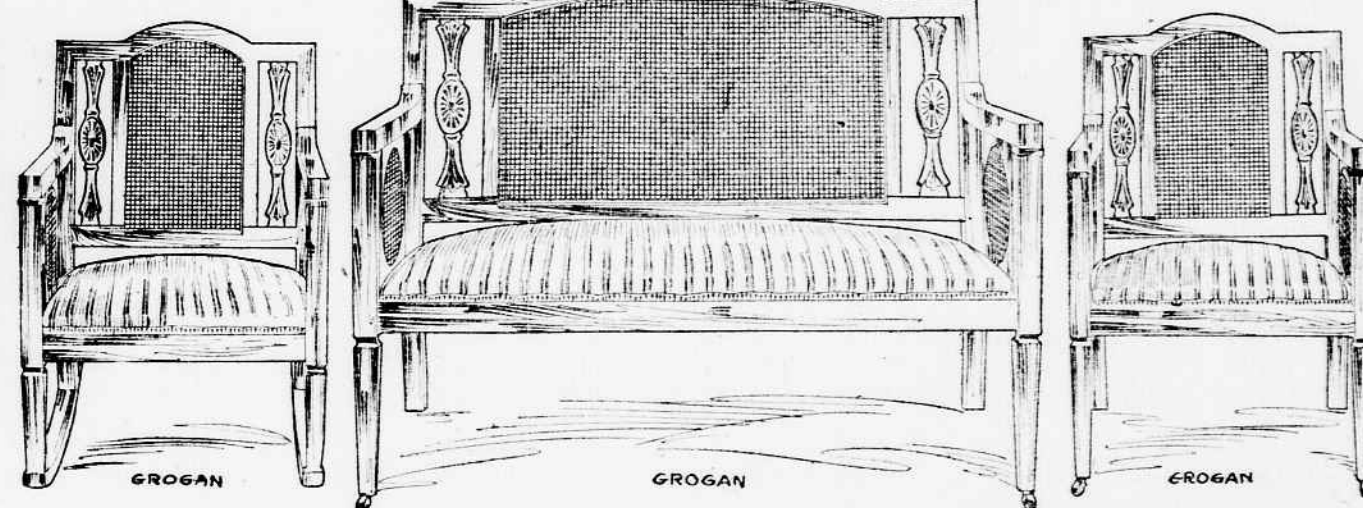
All Kinds of Summer Rugs

Our department of floor coverings carries a wonderfully complete and varied stock of the cool, attractive summer rugs. The famous "Cres" goods are here in all sizes, and at prices as low as can be found in any store in Washington. We also carry an immense line of the all-fiber and wool and fiber rugs, from the smallest mats to the largest sizes manufactured.



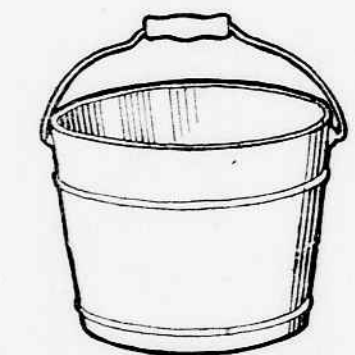
The above illustration gives a perfect idea of this handsome suite, its graceful, highly polished mahogany frame, and beautiful upholstery of richly figured tapestry.

Specially Priced For Easter Brides... **\$75.00**



Here is a suite that represents unusual value at its price. The massive frames are of highly polished mahogany, with strongly woven cane backs; the upholstery of rich, serviceable tapestry.

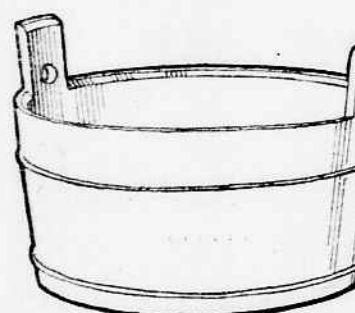
Specially Priced For Easter Brides... **\$55.00**



This large-size Wood Bucket, strong, heavy bail and handle, steel wire binding.

19c

Cash or Credit—Delivered.



Wood Tubs, like cut, except that ours have three heavy steel wire bands. We have two sizes at these bargain prices.

Medium Size, **89c**
Large Size, **99c**
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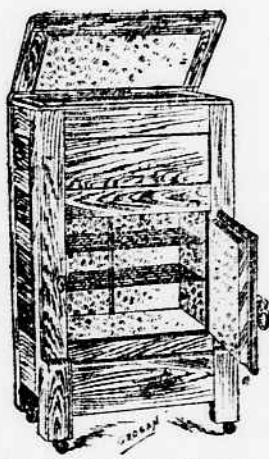


Infants' Bath Tubs
(A Limited Number.)

These beautiful, white enameled Bath-tubs have a heavy roll rim, are 22 inches long, 21 inches wide and 6 inches deep.

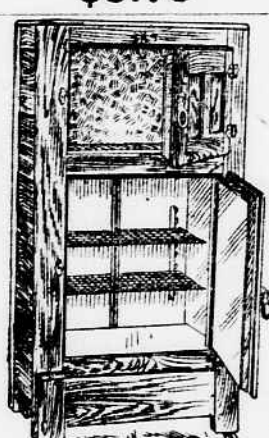
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The style shown above is a first-class article, carefully constructed of hardwood and of good size. It's an extra good value at our

Special Price \$5.75



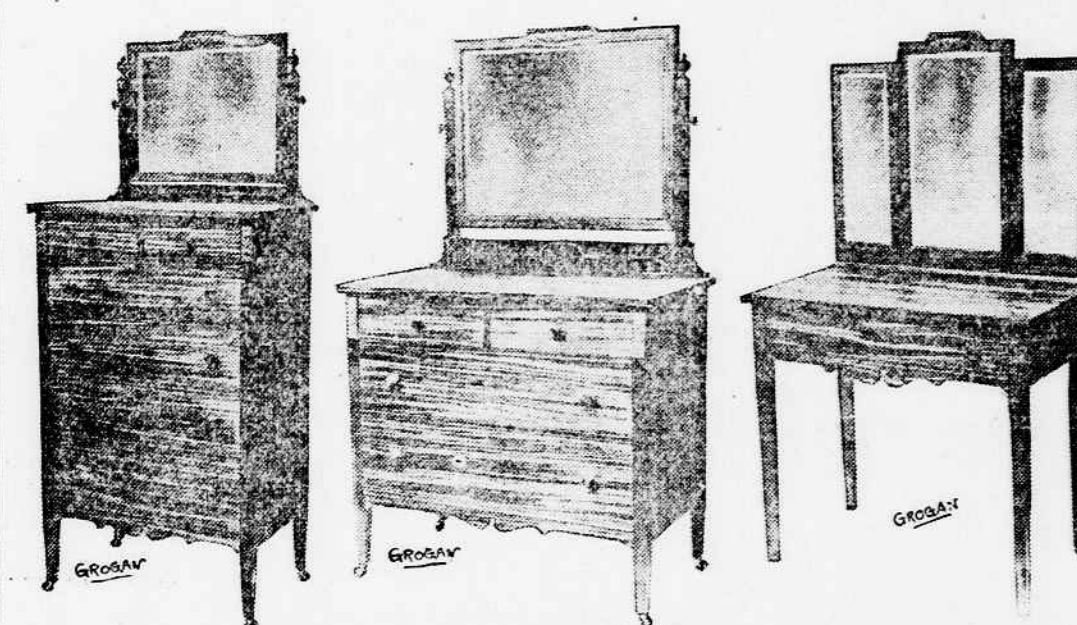
This style is specially adapted for use in small apartments, being designed to occupy as little floor space as possible for its large storage capacity. We have never found a refrigerator that gives more universal satisfaction.

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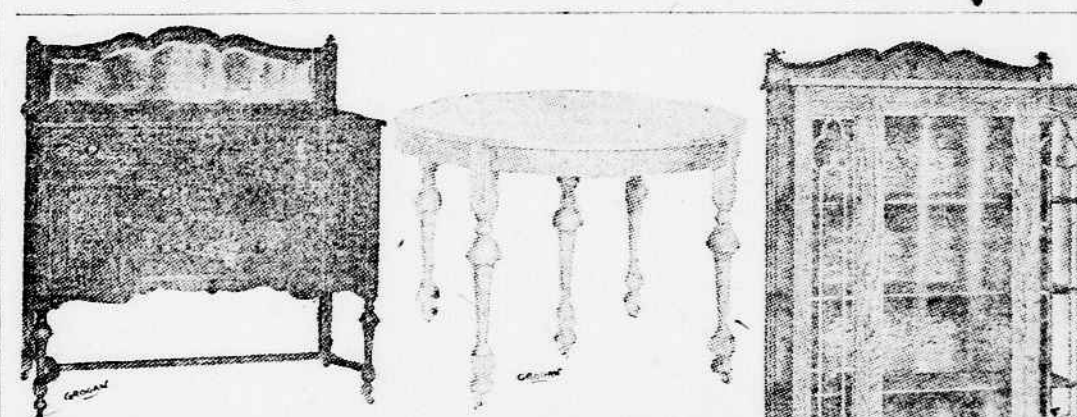
Durable Cocoa Door Mats. Regular 75c size, for

49c



Here is a dainty period pattern that will delight any Easter bride. The style, exactly as shown above, may be had in either mahogany, bird's-eye maple or old ivory finish. The pieces are large and of the finest construction; the mirrors of heavy, beveled French plate. Our regular price is \$100.00.

Specially Reduced for the Easter Bride to \$87.50



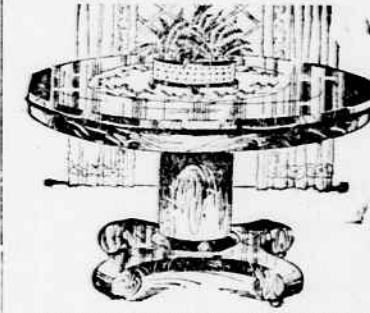
A Pattern of the William and Mary Period

Here are three very attractive pieces in a dainty pattern of the William and Mary period. The framework is of selected oak in Jacobean finish, which will harmonize with almost any style of dining room furnishings.

The Buffet has large linen compartments, spacious drawers and pattern mirror of beveled French plate. The Dining Table has a 48-inch top that extends to 6 feet; the five substantial legs are handsomely carved in the graceful pattern of this period.

The China Cabinet is incased in double-strength glass of first quality, with three deep shelves and base.

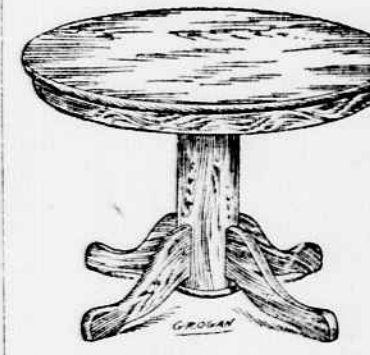
Buffet, \$35. Table, \$27.50. China Cabinet, \$27.50.



Extension Table of quartered oak, heavy plank top, 45 inches in diameter, extends to 6 feet; hand-rubbed piano polish; massive pedestal, with base of colonial pattern.

An Extra Value for the Easter Bride

\$27.50



A good looking, serviceable Dining Table of colonial design. It is of polished golden oak, with heavy pedestal, solid legs and extends to 6 feet in length.

\$7.50



This large Pullman Sleeper has a wood body in old ivory finish, with heavy red roll and all-steel hood. The upholstery is a superior quality of corduroy. It is a very handsome carriage and a value that you will find much higher priced in other stores.

\$27.50



A very strong and serviceable Go-Cart, with wood body and heavy, storm-proof folding top; roomy and comfortable.

\$8.00



A very fine, all-steel Go-Cart, with adjustable top and extra storm hood. The upholstery is of handsome corduroy, and we recommend it as an extra good value.

\$17.50

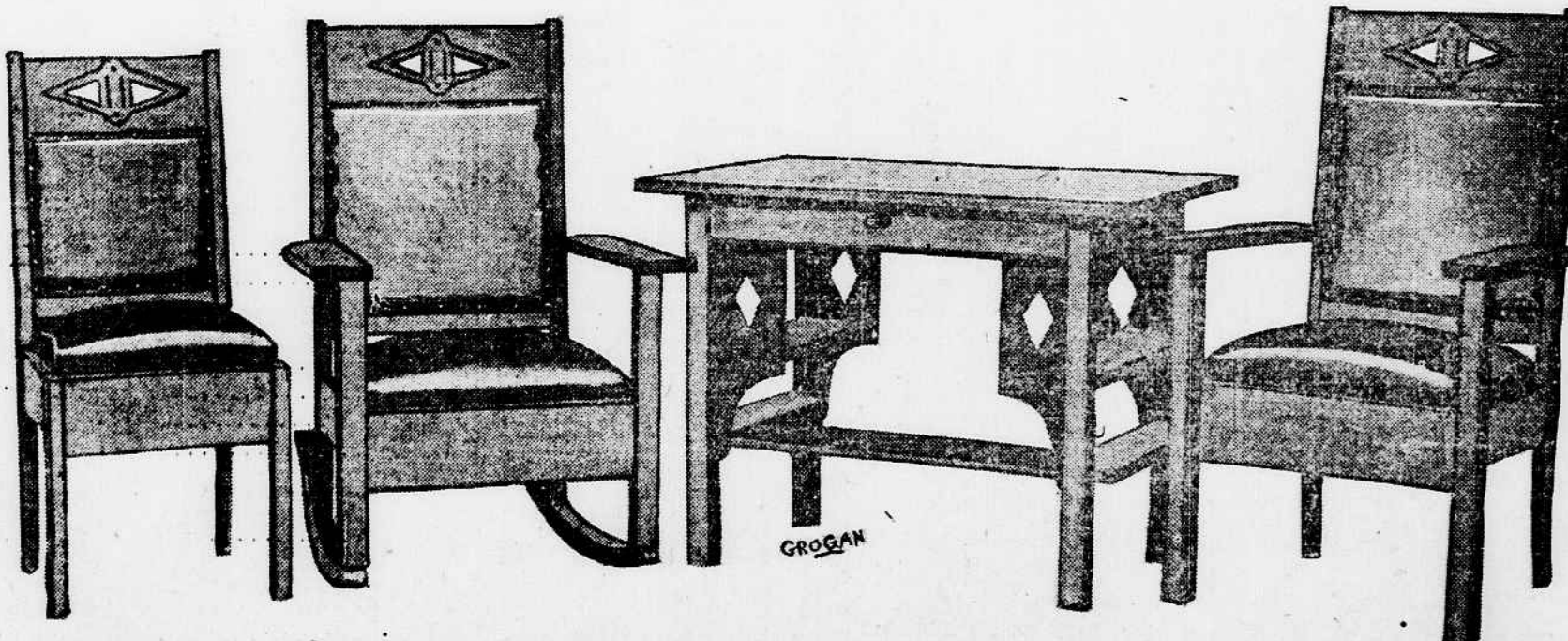


A more elaborate and ornamental pattern, slightly larger in size; body and adjustable hood are all steel in construction; the upholstery is a fine quality of corduroy. It also has the extra storm shield.

\$25.00

This Library Suite A Special Easter Offering at

\$15.75



Here is a value that must be seen to be appreciated. The pieces are substantially constructed of solid oak, with a beautiful fumed finish that harmonizes with any color scheme in decoration. The seats of the rocker and chairs are of the automobile pattern, with spring construction, the backs heavily padded for comfort. The upholstery is a fine grade of imitation leather, rich looking and serviceable. The library table has a top drawer, magazine racks and bottom shelf.